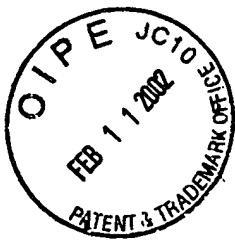


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RESPONSE TO EXAMINER INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
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February 11, 2002

Sir:

This is in response to the Examiner interview of December 18, 2001 and the Office Action dated September 11, 2001. Reconsideration of the claims and allowance of the application are respectfully requested in light of the following remarks.